RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP ART UNIT 2132

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No: 10/661,350 Filed: September 12, 2003 Inventor(s): Kay Hans-Peter Winkler, Michael Ulrich Korner, Harald Ralf Schoning, Eckchard Hermann, Rene Kollmorgen, Dieter Hermann Kessler Title: SIGNATURE VALIDATION AND GENERATION	m m m m m m m m m m m m m	Examiner: Group/Art Unit; Atty, Dkt. No:	Almeida, Devin E. 2132 5646-00900

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF DECEMBER 4, 2007

Dear Sir or Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of December 4, 2007, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.